Drill Status Officer Vacancy Announcement Position: A-37 Plans and Programs Officer Announcement Date: 10 June 2016

Closing Date: 23 Aug 2016

Areas of Consideration: Enlisted members of the MDANG meeting the qualifications to apply for a commissioning opportunity as a Plans and Programs Officer.

Position Description: Drill status officer assigned to the Air Staff as the A-37 – Plans and Programs Officer within the MD Joint Force Headquarters-Air.

Duties and Responsibilities: Officer will serves as the Air Staff as the A-37 – Plans and Programs Officer within the MD Joint Force Headquarters-Air. Duties include strategic planning and other programming support to the Joint Force Headquarters; liaison and support to the 175th Wing; supporting and/or executing domestic ops training and missions at the HQ level and during joint training/operations events with the Army; staffing the state Joint Operations Center (JOC) as needed; supporting and conducting liaison between a Joint Task Force Commander, and the MD ATAG during real world state operations; and briefing senior leadership on communications issues. Duties will also include routine work with the State J-3; J-5; and J-7 (the TAG's joint staff).

Prerequisites: Applicants must possess a Bachelor's or higher degree. Applicants must qualify for, or already possess, a SECRET clearance. Applicants are subject to an initial adverse information search of military and civilian records prior to potential interviews. All adverse information both civilian and military must be disclosed in commissioning package and may be subject to required waiver from NGB/SAF. Potential candidates must be in adherence to AFI 36-2903 regarding tattoo/brands/ body markings to attend TFOT.

Applicants must be less than 40 years of age at time of commissioning. The following rules apply:

- No enlisted time must be no older than 35 at time of commissioning
- 1 year of enlisted time must be no older than 36 at time of commissioning
- 2 years 5 years of enlisted time must be no older than 37 thru 40 respectively
- Qualify on the Air Force Officer Qualification Test (AFOQT). Applicant must take AFOQT prior to the announcement closing date with scores posted
- Qualify on an Officer Appointment Physical Examination
- Must Complete TFOT (Total Force Officer Training) and Logistics Officer (21RX) Training

Application Procedures: Interested persons should submit a completed commissioning application, a resume, a current Record Review RIP and current Fitness Assessment score of 75 or better to:

ATTN: Capt Jerry Whitmore JFHQ Maryland Air National Guard 5th Regiment Armory 29th Division Street Baltimore, MD 21201

Eligible candidates will be rated and ranked, and a best qualified list based on rating and ranking results will be used for interviews.

Point of Contact: Col Paul Zurkowski, JFHQ <u>paul.c.zurkowski.mil@mail.mil</u>

Additional details regarding commissioning requirements or obtaining a commissioning application may be obtained thru Captain Jerry Whitmore, JFHQ, Comm (410) 234-3804; or jerry.w.whitmore.mil@mail.mil. Commissioning applications can also be obtained through FSS Customer Service.